Amendments to the Specification:

On page 1, line 1, after the title and before the line that begins "Field of the Invention", please insert the following:

Cross-Reference to Related Application

This application is a division of U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 10/213,968 filed August 7, 2002 entitled "Pitch Based Graphite Fabrics and Needled Punched Felts for Fuel Cell Gas Diffusion Layer Substrates and High Thermal Conductivity Reinforced Composites" and which is incorporated herein by reference.

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